



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Jeff JELINEK) Confirmation No.: 6875
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Application No.: 10/691,536) Group Art Unit: 3749
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Filed: October 24, 2003) Examiner: Carl D. PRICE

For: EXHAUST RECIRCULATING METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR A HYDROCARBON FIRED BURNER

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2005, to which a response is due without an extension by January 3, 2005. In view of the following amendments and remarks, applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections and allow all claims pending in the application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.